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Applicants: Mamoru MIYAMORI, et al.

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For: SMOKING METHOD AND APPARATUS THEREFOR

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 17, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the specification starting at the last paragraph on page 1 to the end of the first full paragraph on page 14.

There has been known another conventional electrical smoking method in which a pair of mutually opposed electrodes are arranged within a chamber, food products such as fish and meat are arranged between the pair of electrodes, a higher voltage (such